from the guilty officers; if so, the details the.eof; if not, the reasons therefor?

TBE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI D. L. BAITHA): (a) The then Chief Manager (Import & Export) was found responsible for accepting the cheque.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) The cheque was received with a forwarding letter dated 22nd October, 1983 and was sent to the Accounts Division in NCCF on 23|12|83 for presentation to the 'ink which was, however, returned.

(d) The NCCF had, terminated the services of the thin Chief Manager (I&E) who was found responsible for bouncing of the cheque.

Investigation of NCCF Cases by CBI

1845. SHRI PUTTAPAGA RADHA-KRISHNA: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to refer io reply to Unstarred Question 2424 on 14.8.87 in the Rajya Sabha and state:

(a) what action has been taken to recover the amount of Rs. 2 lacs from the guilty officer;

(b) whether it is necessary to refer the case to the CBI for investigation when the case, as admitted, has already been investigated by the Vigilance and clear report identifying the guilty officer was submitted;

(c) whether NCCF has considered this aspect for initiating action against the guilty officer; and

(d) if so. what action has been taken/ proposed to be taken against the guilty officer?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI D. L. BAITHA): (a) to (d) As indicated in reply to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2424 on 14-8-1987 the case was referred to CBI for investigation. However, the CBI returned the case suggesting that this may be enquired into departmentally. The NCCF, therefore, initiated fresh vigilance enquiries into the matter which have now been completed. The report is being processed for taking further action against the offlcer(s) involved.

Upgradation of AIR Station, Hyderabad

1846. SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOW-DHURY: Will the Minister of INFOR-MATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration for upgradation of All India Radio Station, Hyderabad;

(b) if so, by when it is likely to be up-graded; and

(c) the funds allocated for the purpose?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The likely date of their com-pletion and the funds allocate for th* schemes for Hyderabad are as follows:—

	(In lakhs) Rs.
(i) Upsradation of existin" 1KW MW *to* 3 KW FM transmitter by 1989-90	59.45
(ii) Upgradation of existing 10 KW SW transmitte' to 50 KW SW during VIIIth Plan	265.20
(iii) Permanent Type IV Studios during VIIIth Plan	235.00